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Docket: 0756-1614
Date: December 30, 1996

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR FILE WRAPPER CONTINUING APPLICATION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.62

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Box FWC
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Request for filing a

[X] Continuation [] Divisional

under 37 CFR 1.62 of prior pending application

Serial No. 08/519,420

Art Unit: 1112

Filed: August 25, 1995

Examiner: M. Padgett

Entitled: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

by the following named inventors:

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The above identified prior application in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application. (Note: 37 CFR 1.60 may be used for applications where the prior application is not to be abandoned.)

E.O.-T. sent to LHP

1. ☒ To the best of information and belief, the current correspondence address of the inventors is as set forth in the Declaration filed in the parent application.
2. ☒ Enter the amendment previously filed in the prior application on December 3, 1996 under 37 CFR 1.116, but unentered.
3. ☒ A preliminary amendment is attached.
4. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 2 and 3 above.

| For: | No. Filed | | No. Extra | Rate Sm/Lg Entity | Fee |
|---|-----------|------|-----------|----------------------|------------|
| Basic Fee | | | | \$385/770 | \$770.00 |
| Total Claims | 21 | - 20 | 1 | x 11/22 | \$ 22.00 |
| Independent Claims | 8 | - 3 | 5 | x 40/80 | \$400.00 |
| First presentation of multiple dependent claims | | | | \$130/260 | |
| Total | | | | | \$1,192.00 |

5. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line, the sentence:

This application is a Continuation of Serial No. 08/519,420, filed August 25, 1995, now abandoned.

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6. ☒ A check in the amount of \$1,302.00 is enclosed.
Includes extension of time for one month.
7. ☐ The small entity status established in the parent application continues to be applicable and such small entity status is hereby requested for the present application.

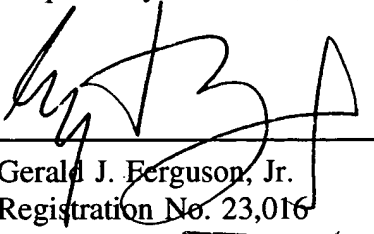
8. ☒ Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on foreign application(s)
No.(s) 6-225851
Filed in (country) Japan
On (date): August 26, 1994
☐ Certified copy (copies) attached.
☒ Certified copy (copies) filed on August 25, 1995 in prior
United States Serial No. 08/519,420 filed on August 25,
1995.
9. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to Semiconductor Energy
Laboratory Co., Ltd..
10. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to:
- | | |
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12. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR
1.16 and 1.17 (except the issue fee) which may be required now or
hereafter, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-2380.
A duplicate of this form is attached.
13. ☒ It is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR 1.136 that the response term in
the prior pending application be extended, if necessary, to a date
which includes the filing date of the present application, and the
Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary extension
fee to Deposit Account No. 19-2380. The prior pending application
is hereby expressly abandoned upon the award of a filing date to this
application.

14. [X] Also enclosed:
Petition for Extension of Time

Address all future correspondence to:

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